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now sole owner of U.S. Patent No. 5,983,261 by assignment recorded in the Patent Office at Reel 8302 Frame 0576. The undersigned hereby offers to surrender said Letters Patent.

On January 23, 2003, Applicant filed a replacement declaration. This declaration was filed in response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2002 in which the Examiner rejected claims 1-33 as being based upon a defective declaration. In a telephone conversation with Michael Plimier on April 10, 2003, the Examiner confirmed that the response that was mailed on January 23, 2003 in response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2002 adequately addressed the issue of supplying a satisfactory declaration.

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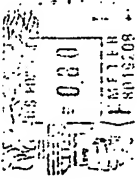


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